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Purpose: To make minor, technical, and clarifying changes in the bill as introduced.

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Intended to be proposed by Mr. McCain (for himself and Mr. Bryan)

Viz:

On page 8, strike lines 15 through 18 and insert the following:

``(A) a boxer's promoter (or a promoter who is required to be licensed under State law) to have a direct or indirect financial interest in that boxer's licensed manager or management company; or

``(B) a licensed manager or management company (or a manager or management company that, under State law, is required to be licensed)_

On page 10, line 13, after ``organization," insert ``or who, as a result of the change is included in the top 10 boxers rated by that organization,".

On page 13, line 21, after ``that" insert ``charges fees to boxers, promoters, or other entities for rating boxers or that".

On page 14, line 17, strike ``sanctioning" and insert ``regulating".

On page 15, beginning in line 5, strike ``a statement in writing".

On page 15, line 7, strike ``sanctioning" and insert ``regulating".

On page 15, line 11, after ``statement" insert ``in writing".

On page 15, line 20, strike ``and" the second place it appears.

On page 15, line 23, strike ``event." and insert ``event; and".

On page 15, between lines 23 and 24, insert the following:

``(C) any reduction in the amount or percentage of a boxer's purse after_

``(i) a previous agreement concerning the amount or percentage of that purse has been reached between the promoter and the boxer; or

``(ii) a purse bid held for the event.

``(c) Judges._ Before participating in a professional boxing match as a judge in any State, an individual shall provide to the boxing commission of, or responsible for regulating matches in, that State a statement in writing of all payments, including reimbursement for expenses, and any other benefits that individual will receive from any source for judging that match.

On page 15, line 24, strike ``(c)" and insert ``(d)".

On page 16, line 4, strike ``(d)" and insert ``(e)".

On page 16, line 6, strike the closing quotation marks and the second period.

On page 16, between lines 6 and 7, insert the following:

``(f) Confidentiality of Agreements._ Neither a boxing commission nor an Attorney General may disclose to the public any matter furnished by a promoter under subsection (b)(1) or subsection (d) except to the extent required in public legal, administrative, or judicial proceedings brought against that promoter under State law.".

On page 18, between lines 8 and 9, insert the following:

(b) Renewal Period for Identification Cards._ Section 6(b)(2) of the Professional Boxing Safety Act of 1996 (15 U.S.C. 6305(b)(2)) is amended by striking ``2 years." and inserting ``4 years.".

On page 18, line 9, strike ``(b)" and insert ``(c)".

